



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/771,557
Applicants: Yasuo NOMURA, et al.
Filing Date: January 30, 2001
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND
METHOD AS WELL AS PROGRAM STORAGE
MEDIUM
Group Art Unit: 2621
Examiner: VENT, J.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 TO ACCOMPANY RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR
RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Our check in the amount of - is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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In response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2006, please consider the following remarks:

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